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Of Equations On Finite Field  
And Apparatus For Inverting  
Element Of Extension Field

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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of April 14, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are not included herein.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** are not included herein.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 29 of this paper.